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CONFIRMATION NO. 2988

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## FORMALITIES LETTER



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## NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

FILED UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)

**Filing Date Granted**

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The statutory basic filing fee is missing.  
*Applicant must submit \$ 710 to complete the basic filing fee and/or file a small entity statement claiming such status (37 CFR 1.27).*
- Total additional claim fee(s) for this application is \$1054.
  - \$414 for 23 total claims over 20.
  - \$640 for 8 independent claims over 3.
- The oath or declaration is missing.  
*A properly signed oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, identifying the application by the above Application Number and Filing Date, is required.*
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(e) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.
- **The balance due by applicant is \$ 1894.**

The application is informal since it does not comply with the regulations for the reason(s) indicated below.

The required item(s) identified below must be timely submitted to avoid abandonment:

- Substitute drawings in compliance with 37 CFR 1.84 because:
  - drawing sheets do not have the appropriate margin(s) (see 37 CFR 1.84(g)). Each sheet must include a top margin of at least 2.5 cm. (1 inch), a left side margin of at least 2.5 cm. (1 inch), a right side margin of at least 1.5 cm. (5/8 inch), and a bottom margin of at least 1.0 cm. (3/8 inch);

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*A copy of this notice MUST be returned with the reply.*

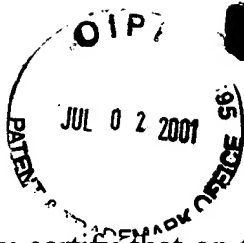


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PART 2 - COPY TO BE RETURNED WITH RESPONSE



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I hereby certify that on the date specified below, this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service as first-class mail in an envelope addressed to Box Missing Parts, Commissioner for Patents, Washington, DC 20231.

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Date \_\_\_\_\_ Jeanne Connelly

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF APPLICATION

Sir:

In response to the Notice to File Missing Parts dated April 9, 2001, please find enclosed a Declaration, Authorization for Extensions of Time Under 37 CFR § 1.136(a)(3), and a copy of the Notice to File Missing Parts for the above-identified application.

Please find enclosed a Petition for an Extension of Time, extending the time for response from June 9, 2001 to July 9, 2001.

Enclosed is a Transmittal of Formal Drawings (Figures 1-53).

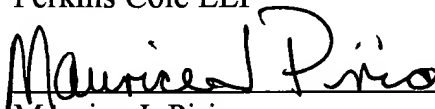
The fees have been calculated as follows:

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|----------------------------------|----|---------|
| Basic Fee                        | \$ | 710.00  |
| Total Claims (43, 23 extra)      |    | 414.00  |
| Independent Claims (11, 8 extra) |    | 640.00  |
| Missing Parts Surcharge          |    | 130.00  |
| Total                            | \$ | 1894.00 |
| Extension-of-Time Fee            |    | 110.00  |
| TOTAL                            | \$ | 2004.00 |

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge the fees of \$2004.00, and any additional filing fees or to credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 50-0665. A duplicate copy of this response is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

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Enclosures:

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Copy of this Response

Declaration

Authorization for Extensions of Time Under 37 CFR § 1.136(a)(3)

Copy of Notice to File Missing Parts

Petition for Extension of Time (+ 2 copies)

Transmittal of Formal Drawings (Figures 1-53)

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